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Ratepayers Meeting Is Very Well Attended

Nomination Day Is Quiet

Nomination Day passed off quietly in Raymond, in fact almost too quietly. After the criticism of the actions of the Council during the past year, and especially sharp criticism in some respects, it was anticipated that there would be a large number of candidates groomed and ready for the race for Council honors. But what a disappointment when eleven o'clock came, and not a nomination paper in eleven thirty and still no one nominated. The School Board faced a little better, there being four nominations for the three vacancies here.

Whether people were scared of the responsibility of the Council, or what was the cause, no one knows. At any rate it looked for awhile as though a situation may arise, without precedent in the history of the town. This however was averted by a bit of swift work just before the nominations closed, and resulted in five men being nominated for the four vacancies on the Council. And so, Raymond will have an election on Monday next.

The nominations are:

For School Board: L. L. Pack, T. O. King, Paul Dahl, all of whom have just completed a term, and L. Palmer.

For Council: S. B. Card, Geo. E. Court, D. M. Powelson, D. A. Bennett, all of whom have had previous experience, and T. K. Roberts.

Voting will take place at the Town Hall next Monday from 9 a.m. until 7 p.m. Look over the voters list and see if you have a vote. If you have not and have a right to one, then see to it that your name is on the list before another election. This voting is a duty that we should all be glad and anxious to perform. It is the method adopted to allow us to give our sanction to the affairs and the officials of the Town and the School Board, of which we form a part. Despite the fact that we may not be a member of the Executive Body of either one.

Don't forget folks! Next Monday, the Town Hall. And BE SURE and VOTE.

The Annual Ratepayers Meeting of the town of Raymond was held in the Town Hall on Friday night, January 29th, with a good attendance of Ratepayers present and a great deal of interest manifested in the various items of the reports. L. D. King was elected Chairman of the meeting and F. R. Taylor Secretary.

The first item of the evening was the Financial Statement of the Town read by Secretary O. H. Snow, which was followed by a great many questions from the floor of the house. One point in particular was the Pension arrangement, which at present compels the Town to pay its portion of this regardless of whether the recipient continues to reside in Raymond or not. The sentiment was that when the pensioner moved away from Raymond that the Town's share of the payments should cease and the town where the party or parties lived should take the burden. There was also many questions regarding the cost of relief, and the efforts the Town had made to furnish employment to all who needed relief, and that this policy had kept the direct relief down to a minimum.

The statement of the School District was next read, and a number of questions were put to the Secretary Paul Dahl, all of which were satisfactorily answered. In numbers 525 were reported in the Public School with thirteen teachers in charge, and 160 in the High School with four teachers. An increase of nearly 250 p.c. was reported in the High School in the past five years. Comparing costs in Raymond and other towns it was found that Raymond was as low as most, only one in Southern Alberta being lower and most of them higher. The cost per year of education of students in Raymond was \$39.17 in the Public School, and \$64.65 in the High School, or an average of \$44.85 per student. This figure compared very favorably with the Provincial average for all schools of \$59.50 per pupil.

Mayor Meeks then gave a report of the activities of the Council, and dwelt at some length on some points, all of which were made plain in his report, which with his permission, we are including in this report. It follows:

Mr. Chairman and Ratepayer:— I desire to present to you a few explanations as to the work done during 1931 that may not appear on the statement.

We were faced with two unusual conditions right at the beginning of the year. First, there was the question of Relief, not before found in Raymond. Second, the Water supply failed to the extent that the small Reservoir near the Spring had to be tapped. Because of the Relief question and the Water Shortage, it was decided to give work to men needing help, and to strengthen the Dam near the spring, and with this in view, some \$600.00 was spent and charged to Water works. Right here let me say in September, because of the dry season, it was deemed necessary to Pump water from the Canal back into the Reservoir to store for winter, which added over \$500.00 more that was out of the ordinary to the Water Works expense.

Again, coming to an epidemic of Typhoid, and no cause for the outbreak being found, the Council decided to give Free inoculation to all Town people, which was done at a nominal fee of \$1.00, but with costs of obtaining a supply of the material for such wholesale inoculation, it cost the price of numerous phones and wires to keep sufficient on hand to go on with. This, together with the Relief given, has added the amount spent on Health and Relief over \$800.00.

Another item of considerable cost was brought on by reason of the new Gravelled Road from Welling. There have been many efforts to get a road out of Raymond to connect us with the Gravelled Road. The Town

officials had on various occasions stated that should such a road be built to the Town Limits, the Town would take steps to connect up with such a Road. The Road outside was built last year, and in order to make good the representations made by the Town to connect up with the New Gravelled Highway, work to that end was undertaken and pretty well completed and charged to the Work Property, at a cost of about Nine Thousand Dollars. Some Fifteen Hundred being for Culverts, Twenty Five Hundred for Graveling, and Five Thousand Dollars for earth work. This was about two thirds of the money for the road.

You will note that there is a cut in Salaries and wages of over Five Hundred Dollars over 1930, and you will observe an item of Sundry Refunds, which was money turned back to the Town by those who worked on the Reservoir and Ditches, and was a credit on the Relief Supplies. Also you notice an item of \$241.60 Town Hall Maintenance, and that the Office Expenses are cut down. Previous years, everything connected with Coal and Lighting was charged up as Office Expense. You will observe that the Grants have increased, but this is on account of the Skating Rink, and purchasing Shrimps for the Grounds at the Town Hall. You will also note a Library Expense of almost Three Hundred Dollars which includes the Book cases and care of Library for the year just closed.

While Water Collections were good the amount collected exceeding the charges for 1930, after allowing for Discounts. Other collections were very low, but taking conditions into consideration, I don't know where they could have been materially increased.

We are hopeful of co-operating with the Municipal District in the matter of enforcing collections for School Taxes by Distraint and otherwise, and of making a strenuous effort to clear off as far as possible the outstanding obligations; we are hereby asking the Relief co-operation of the School Board, and our fellow citizens to the Bank, and we are the Ratepayers in listening to this.

Fully realizing that many farmers are hard pressed, we feel that it is of the greatest importance that instead of feeling that harsh measures are being used, of feeling that necessity requires that the School Board and Town Council cannot function therefore as taxes are a first charge and give services without money upon property, it will be necessary unless payments are made, to take advantage of the rights given under the former Acts of the Province.

Because of the financial straits Municipalities are in, the Council have decided to try an experiment by issuing a non est amount of Town Warrants to meet payments due by them in place of borrowing entirely from Bankers, this only for Town and School purposes and then Warrants will be accepted at any time at the same value as cash. Negotiable warrants will be used for any amount over the indebtedness of those who receive the Warrants, and Non-Negotiable Warrants to be paid those who owe the Town, and as far as possible, all work will be paid for with Warrants that are Good for Water acts, and Town Taxes. The Town owes the Bank around \$12,000.00, and have some \$16,000.00 pledged of 1931 arrears to cover that amount. Added to that \$16,000.00 is about \$20,000.00 in Arrears that are Water accounts, and old Taxes not otherwise paid. It is hoped to find ways to gather in considerable sums of work on Leaks and upkeep of Road these sums in carrying on the work etc. The Employees on regular pay will accept 40 p.c. of their salaries in Scrip.

One more item, and I am through, some \$12,000.00 in Debentures have now matured, and the last payment out of Raymond to connect us with the Gravelled Road. The Town

Board of Trade Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Trade was held in the Town Hall on Monday night, Feb. 1st at 8 p.m., with 32 members in attendance.

After the reading and acceptance of the minutes, a report from the Membership Committee, the President T. Geo. Wood spoke regarding the desire of the Board to get a membership of 125 for the present year.

A. E. Woolley, Chairman of the Executive reported regarding the the Annual Banquet of the Board, and at an Executive Meeting later and Dance in the Second Ward Chapel on Monday evening, Feb. 22, and it was decided to hold the Banquet to make a cover charge of 75c. per plate, to include the Dance. A short play program will be arranged, and the Banquet and Dance will be open to everyone.

The Chairman of the Road Com-

mittee, J.W. Evans submitted a program for the coming year which will make for many splendid improvements in road in and about Raymond, carried out and supported by the Board. Some discussion grew out of this report and it was finally accepted.

Reporting on the Taxation question of the Factory, Mr. Woolley said that investigation had disclosed the fact that the Factory was exempt from taxes until the end of 1932, and when this information was obtained the matter was dropped.

L. L. Pack, Chairman of the Local School Board then addressed the meeting on "Costs of Education." The figures presented by the speaker were enlightening to the audience and inasmuch as we are printing a summary of this speech in our next week's issue, we will not enlarge on it here.

News Notes

Three murderers were hanged in Headingley jail this week. One Monday, one Tuesday, and another Wednesday morning of this week.

Peace River had a \$75,000 fire in its business section Monday, and eight of its buildings were destroyed.

T. L. Bank will Cartage will open tomorrow, and there is a full week of sports lined up for those who attend.

The World Disarmament Conference opened in Geneva, Switzerland, Feb. 2, and the situation in the Far East is receiving attention with an effort made to bring hostilities to an immediate cessation between China and Japan.

Cardston and Raymond High will clash tonight in a Basketball Game and should Cardston win the Leadership of the Southern Alberta High School division will be tied up. Cardston has lost but once, and that to Raymond, will there be fun to write. Boy, oh boy, plenty of it. Come out and see it.

Card for this past year, which will reduce the coming years Disbure payments by that amount.

I wish to thank the members of the Council, the Secretary, the Constable and the Engineer for their work, and also the Ratepayers and all who have co-operated with us to carry on our work. I ask for your continued patience and help.

THANK YOU.

L. L. Pack, Chairman of the School Board was the last speaker of the meeting. He stated that the big question now was economy, and he personally did not see where any more savings could possibly be made, and still maintain the present high standard of the Raymond Schools. Referring to the salaries of teachers he stated that enquiries had been made from several other Southern Alberta towns, and that with but one exception Raymond was lower than the other towns. He thought when a District of teachers it is getting at a very little over the Provincial minimum, and also a fact that should be a source of satisfaction to the Ratepayers. He spoke in high terms of the town and said he did not know of a time when the schools of the town were functioning better than at present.

A motion was passed and a friendly and thanksgiving all the members of the Council, the School Board, and the Town employee for their splendid service of the past year, and the meeting adjourned.

PAYSONITES ANNUAL REUNION

205 Paysonites were registered at the Annual Reunion held on January 28th in the Raymond Opera House. The day was cold and stormy but this did not seem to detract from the spirits of the crowd. Because of the weather the program did not begin until 4 p.m. but once started it kept up until midnight.

Bishop A. E. Fawns, Chairman of the Payson Committee was in charge and extended a hearty welcome to all. Mrs. Emma Burr sang a vocal solo and Mrs. Geo. Fairbanks related some events that occurred in Payson and told of the Walker Indian War and also the naming of Payson after James Pace, the first presiding Elder of the branch. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hancock rendered a vocal duet, Leland Holman and Willis Fawns entertained the crowd with a Jewish dialogue, and Mrs. Blanche Seville sang a solo.

Bishop Fawns contributed a reading, Misses Lucille and Aetha Dewey rendered a vocal duet, Miss Palmer of Banwell gave a reading, Willis Fawns and Co. sang quartette and Miss Vida Sabey and Mrs. Eudora. Several of the oldest Paysonites also played a piano duet.

Present were given carnations, and then all joined in a get acquainted waltz, followed by a Farce presented by Miss Lucille Fawns, Mrs. Jennie Clark and Mrs. Emily Spackman.

Then refreshments were served and every one had all they wanted of Sandwiches, Salads, Pickles, Cocoa, Cake and Ice Cream, which was followed by a musical reading by Lee Brewster. Games were enjoyed for awhile and then the time was turned to dancing.

Following the murder of the Martin Sirtar family of father and mother and five children in Elma, Man., the murder was captured and when questioned said he was carrying out orders after a session with the devil and ghosts whom he thought he had to obey. Following the killings he set fire to the house which was burned to the ground but all the bodies were removed before the fire got too far started.

Former hon. the Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighan, former Prime Minister of Canada will be named a Senator, and may become the Conservative Leader of the upper house. When questioned he had nothing to say regarding it.

A new L.D.S. Chapel will soon be built in Great Falls according to announcement in the Great Falls Tribune. This district is in the Western States Mission presided over by Wm. R. Sloan. A Chapel will also be erected at Vangum, a small town not far from Great Falls.

Beet Growers Meeting

The Beet Growers of Raymond and district met in the Town Hall on Saturday last and had a friendly get together which lasted for over three hours, and as one attendant put it, there was nothing connected with beet growing that was not discussed. Despite the cold weather there were over 100 growers present.

John F. Salomon was Chairman of the meeting, and after a few opening remarks by him, F. R. Taylor called the roll of growers present.

J. W. Evans was the first speaker, on the subject "Cultural Factors Affecting Proper Returns in this District." Tenness Factors in Growing and Handling Beets" was then discussed by Superintendent F. R. Taylor.

T. C. McBeck of the Trail Smelter and Cecil Nor. Steel spoke next on "The Relation of Commercial Fertilizer to the Farmer and His Crop." T. Geo. Wood was the concluding speaker and his subject was "The Economic Outlook for the Alberta Sugar Industry." Discussion followed the topics as they were spoken on, and a miscellaneous discussion at the conclusion finished the meeting.

There was nothing definite in the price for the coming season, but it was made fairly certain, that the acreage for this year would be increased by 10 p.c. at least, which will bring the total acreage up to around 14,000 acres for the local plant.

R. H. S. NOTES

Last week we told you about the coach and captain. This week starting with assistant captain we shall give you the players.

R. Frank Weaver. Height 5 ft. 9 in. Weight 165 lbs. Plays left guard position and is a member of Gray as captain. This is his first year on the guard line and second year on the R. H. S. squad. He received excellent training with the Grade IX "Invincibles" for whom he played centre. His guarding this year has been quite outstanding which goes to prove that guards are not born. His long legs and fast dribbling has been a source of worry to opponents, and his checking is quite precise. Along with the coach he entertains the boys on their trips with songs, wise cracks etc. Thus you have heard all about Frankie.

Uriel E. Nalder "Idler." Height 6 ft. 1 in. weight 175 lbs. Plays centre for the boys, and is sure a whiz at the job. "Idler's" smooth, free and easy playing has won him fame all over the south country. This is his third year on the R.H.S. and he also played with the Grade IX "Invincibles." On several occasions "Idler's" points alone have been sufficient to outscore the opponents, an unbeatable forward line that can along with Gray Kirkham they make no through to victory almost any time. "Butler" has to be watched quite closely on trips or he will slip away and gather a crowd of girls on the street corners and tell them about his experiences in Hollywood. Poor old "Idler."

A. W. Kirkham was a Lethbridge visitor on Thursday.

LOCAL A. T. A. MEETING

A Meeting of the Local Teachers Alliance was held in the Public School on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 27th, with sixteen teachers in attendance. The program of the afternoon was as follows:

A talk by O. J. Hickson on the "33 Points of Leadership."

"The Obligations of the Educator to the Child" was the subject of an interesting talk by M. T. King.

Musical numbers included a Vocal Solo by Miss Johnson and a Piano Solo by Miss Hand.

At the conclusion of the program refreshments were served. The entire meeting was full of interest, and the next one will be anxiously waited for by the teachers.

Read the ad in this paper about the "Dover Road" at the Opera House next Monday night. If you like comedy drama you should see there.

T. Geo. Wood was in Medicine Hat the first part of the week, and was guest speaker at a meeting held Tuesday night, in the Sugar Industry. Medicine Hat is after another factory for Southern Alberta, and are urging Medicine Hat as the logical site because of the cheapness of natural gas for fuel and lighting.

Elder Loren E. Hancock in a letter to the Editor reports the hottest summer in New Zealand that they have had for a number of years. The number of elders has been reduced about forty per cent since he left two and a half years ago. He will likely be home sometime in April.

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ELECTIONS ON MONDAY NEXT

Monday next will be Election Day. Maybe we should repeat that several times so it would not be forgotten. From past election days, our interest in this matter and our appreciation of the franchise is very slight. Too many of us wait for some interested party to call for us and convey us to the polls, otherwise we stay at home and let the polls close without casting our vote. It is too bad that this situation should exist.

We should realize and feel that the affairs of the Town are our affairs. We are the ones who pay the bills. The Council may arrange for the payment, but if paid the money comes from the taxes that the citizens individually and collectively pay during the year. Now let us suppose that we fail to cast a vote. We fail to express our choice in the matter of Councilmen and School Board members, and if we fail in these things then it hardly behooves us to criticize and find fault with those who are administering our public affairs. We would like to know why there is such an evident lack of interest in these affairs.

In the light of the criticism and fault-finding that accompanied some of the efforts of the Council last summer and fall, everyone expected that there would be a line up of at least two men for every vacancy on the Council at least, and to and behold, when noon came on Monday there was a slate and one over after some hustling to get the papers in. It only proves this fact that about nine tenths of our street talk is thoughtless, and without real intent and the tragedy is, that while we mean no harm, we often discourage the efforts of conscientious men, and very efficient men, who are trying to give us the very best service possible. The Council of the past year had a lot of knotty problems to handle, during the past year, and was wonderful the way they handled them and the excellent service the rat-payers received from them. All praise to the retiring Council.

Now, folks, remember Monday is your day. Get out and vote for the men of your choice. We may say it doesn't make any difference who is in, but we will have our likes and dislikes, and Monday is our opportunity of having our say. If we don't cast a ballot, then let us make up our minds to not find fault, unless we are

In possession of the full facts. The Council meetings are open, the reports are the property of the Rate-payers, and if you have a real grievance arm yourself with the facts and get it straightened out. If you have no real kick, then don't kick. Do a little booting instead, and see how much better you feel.
Once more. Voting will take place on Monday, Feb. 8, at the Town Hall.

News Notes

George Brewerton is in Utah for a month's visit. He left last week.

Frank Atterton spent the week-end in Cardston, and reported it just as cold there as it was here when he got back Monday for noon.

The Stake Choir Concert has been postponed until Feb 11th, because of sickness of some of the performers.

Following a decided slump, eggs have advanced in price again and worth selling now, unless a person would rather eat them.

Several changes were made in the Stake Board of the Sunday Schools in the regular Priesthood meeting on Sunday last.

The past week has been exceptionally good to the coal business, but decidedly flattening to an already deflated pocketbook. However the things must be expected in Canada.

The Greyhound broke down on Sunday morning on the way from Cardston and it was just about noon when it got here on its way to Lethbridge.

T. O. King, President of the Alberta Trustees Association left on Monday, and Paul L. Dahl left Tuesday to attend the Trustees Convention held in Calgary.

There were 12 or 15 young men from the Magrath 1st Ward presented and accepted or advancement to the office of an Elder in Priesthood Meeting last Sunday.

An oil well is to be sunk in the vicinity of Stirling just as soon as the weather permits drilling. The organizing is all done and details all arranged. This will merely be a test hole to test the structure.

The Genealogical Committee had charge of the meeting in the 2nd Ward on Sunday evening and the following were speakers: E. L. Spaackman, Bill Hawkins, Frederick Romer, H. Hyrum Fromm, Bob Hanna and Doris Fromm. Musical numbers included two Banjo Solos by Wm. Burrows, and a Male Quartette, besides the usual hymns by the Choir.

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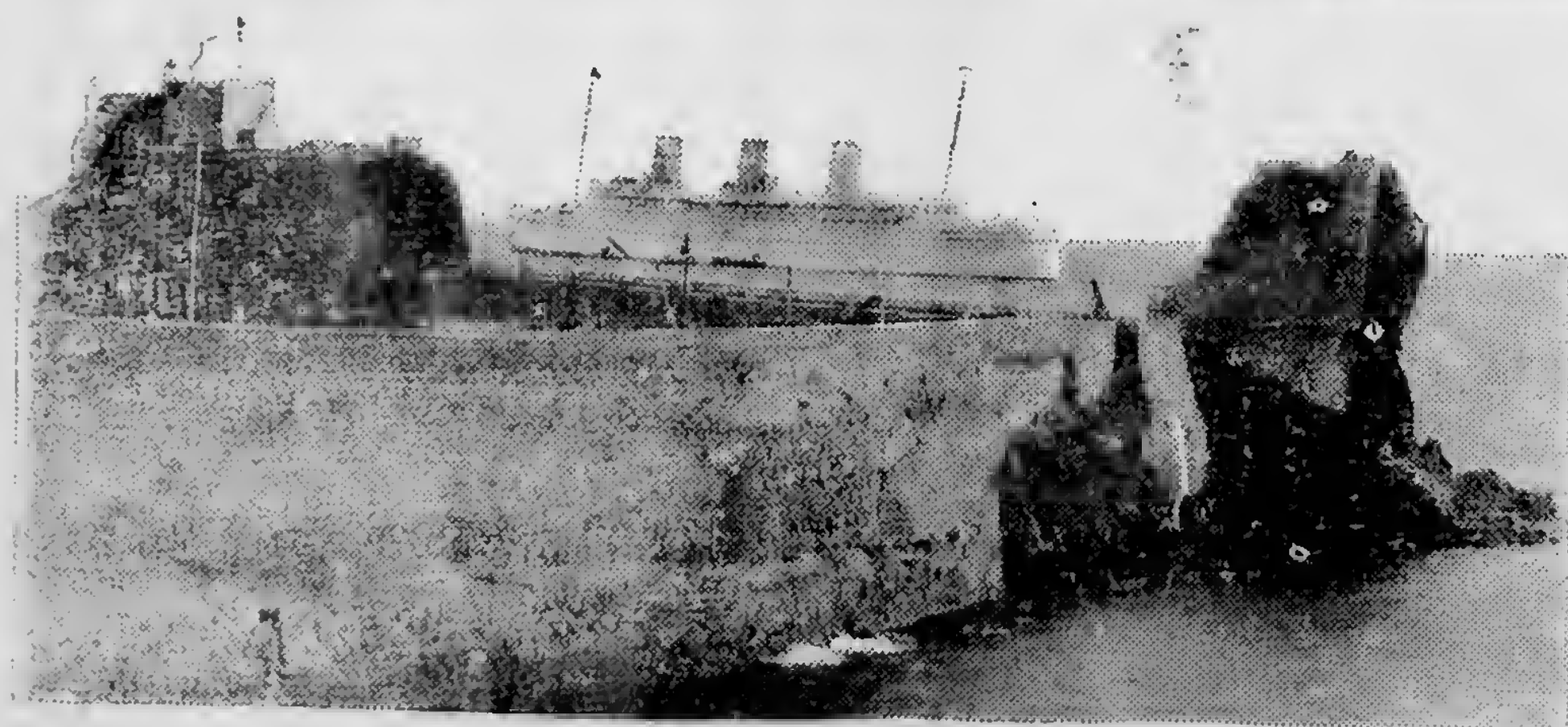
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Madeira got a new thrill recently when telephone communication was established between that pleasant island and London, England for the first time.

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During her stay there, lying at anchor just beyond the famous Loo Rock, the Empress was host to many visitors. Amongst these were two who casually asked, "May I use the 'phone?"

Just as casually the telephone operator of the ship called up London and put the callers through over 1,223 miles of water.

Reports from the Empress of Britain, now at Colombo, Ceylon, indicate that the wireless telephone is a popular feature of the ship. The longest distance yet reported is Haifa, Palestine, to Montreal. The liner works on a daily schedule with Canada, through the Canadian Marconi stations at Yamachiche and Drummondville, Quebec, and the Bell long distance board in Montreal.

Photos show: Empress of Britain at Madeira with Loo Rock in the foreground, and a typical bedroom fitted with telephone.



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Disease germs leave the body which harbours them in its secretions or excretions. It is the transference of the germ laden secretion, occurring usually in a fairly direct manner, which accounts for the spread of the diseases which are caused by germs.

In order that the spread may be prevented, every effort should be made to control the transfer of secretions from the sick to the well. It is for this reason that the sick person is isolated or separated from his fellows. Isolation does not do the sick person any good; it is carried out for the protection of those who are well.

One way to isolate is by removal of the case to an isolation hospital, and where isolation at home is not practical, this should be done. Many cases can, however, be quite satisfactorily cared for at home, provided proper precautions are taken.

The patient must have a separate room. If a nurse is not engaged, the care of the patient should be undertaken by some one member of the family. A gown, or overall, for the attendant is kept just inside the room. This gown is put on by the attendant when entering the sick room, and taken off when leaving

the room.

The importance of adequate hand scrubbing cannot be over estimated. After attending the patient, and always before leaving the room, the hands and forearms should be thoroughly scrubbed, for at least two minutes, with a nailbrush in soap and water, and then rinsed in an antiseptic solution.

Dishes used by the patient are placed in a pan of water and boiled, or are washed and kept in the patient's room. Any food from the patient's room is burned.

All clothing, towels, etc., from the patient's room are actually boiled or are kept in an antiseptic solution for one hour.

All discharges from the nose and mouth should be destroyed by burning, or should be mixed with an antiseptic. In diseases such as typhoid fever, the excreta must be mixed with an antiseptic.

The person who is caring for the patient should take the precautions mentioned, and should not have anything to do with the preparation of food in the home.

Home isolation is satisfactory provided the attendant takes such care as is outlined above, that other members of the household or family are kept out of the room, and that care is maintained until the danger of spread is over, and that each case is not relaxed too soon, simply because the patient feels well.

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RECEIPTS		DISBURSEMENTS	
TO CASH IN BANK, Jan. 1st, 1931	\$ 293.94	BY CASH OVERAGE, Jan. 1st, 1931	\$ 12.53
TO TAX COLLECTIONS:		BY SALARIES and WAGES	1,592.50
Local Improvements	\$10,539.23	BY COUNCILLORS' FEES	763.05
Hall Insurance	226.84	BY DESTRUCTION OF WEEDS	510.75
Supplementary Revenue	3,408.39	BY MAINTENANCE OF ROADS:	
Educational	75.30	Lumber	\$ 1,656.79
SCHOOL DISTRICTS:		Machinery Repairs	5.00
Provo No. 825	\$1,227.72	District No. 1	681.75
Raymond	2,392.26	District No. 2	1,078.60
Magrath	170.36	District No. 3	870.43
LaPrairie, No. 3227	518.26	District No. 4	14,587.50
Galt	442.44	District No. 5	698.12
O. K., No. 4205	1,294.89	District No. 6	1,103.59
Bonnie View	75.00		20,774.69
Mammoth, No. 1370	767.61	BY OFFICE EXPENSES	154.25
Troy, No. 2183	1,101.66	BY HEALTH and RELIEF	922.00
	7,950.20	BY POUND EXPENSES	115.00
Business Tax	1,098.45	BY BANK LOANS REPAYED	45,129.75
Penalties and Costs	32.00	BY INTEREST and EXCHANGE	1,402.02
TO COMMISSIONS:		BY WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION BOARD	40.99
Supplementary Revenue Tax Collections	220.51	BY LAND TITLES OFFICE	92.30
School Tax Collections	213.92	BY MISCELLANEOUS	83.50
Hall Insurance Collections	2.52	BY DISHONORED CHEQUES	14.40
TO SUNDRY RECEIPTS:		BY TRUST TAXES, REMITTED:	
Sale of Lumber	113.85	Supplementary Revenue	\$3,379.91
Provincial Govt. Relief Fund	14.24	Educational	69.20
Found Proceeds	11.75	Hall Insurance	226.54
Provincial Government Grant	7,823.73	School District:	
School Districts on Notes	953.75	Galt	\$ 442.44
Miscellaneous	9.60	Magrath	170.36
TO BANK LOANS:		Raymond	2,392.26
General	43,075.00	Provo, No. 825	2,717.11
School	12,380.20	LaPrairie, No. 3227	585.25
TO UNPRESENTED CHEQUES	2,086.96	Bonnie View	1,500.00
		O. K., No. 4205	2,093.75
		D'har	251.25
		Mammoth, No. 1370	1,496.61
		Troy, No. 2183	1,382.91
			14,036.82
			17,712.97
		BY BALANCE:	
		Cash in Bank:	
		General Account	38.26
		School Trust Accounts	384.31
		Special Collection Account	47.63
			470.21
		Cash on Hand	1,036.88
			1,507.09
			\$90,633.92

COMPARED WITH THE BOOKS AND FOUND CORRECT:
R. W. GARDNER, Chartered Accountant,
Auditor to the District.
Lethbridge, Alberta, 26th January, 1932

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
Cash on Hand	Unpaid Cheques
Local Improvement Taxes	Due on Materials
Supplementary Revenue Taxes	Supplementary Revenue Taxes
Educational Taxes	Educational Taxes
Hall Taxes	Hall Taxes
School Taxes	Unpaid Contributions
Notes due the District	School Account Due Bank
Machinery	Municipal Account Due Bank
Land and Buildings	Amount due Auditor
Office Equipment	Surplus
\$51,501.77	\$94,301.77

Notice of Municipal Meeting and Nomination of Candidates at a Divisional Election

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the electors of the Municipal District of Sugar City No. 37, will be held at the Raymond Second Ward Chapel at 1 o'clock p.m. on Saturday the 20th day of February, 1932, for the discussion of the affairs of the District and that from 3 to 4 o'clock p.m. on the same day and at the same place, nominations for the office of Councillors for Divisions— No. 3, LaPrairie; No. 5, Raymond; and No. 6, Stirling; will be received, being three Councillors to be elected.

W. G. MEERS, RETURNING OFFICER.

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News Notes

The 1st Ward 'M' men were defeated by Stirling on Friday night last to the tune of 51-21 playing in Stirling in a preliminary game.

Town Warrants are now being issued, and the move is hoped to relieve the Town of the necessity of the usual heavy bank borrowings of past years.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. McBeath, who now live in Calgary, have been here for a few days. Mrs. McBeath has been visiting and T. C. has been addressing meetings of Beet Growers on the use of Commercial Fertilizer.

Mounted police will use an airplane in the search for Albert Johnson the crazy trapper of the north country. Wop May and Punch Dickens noted flyers of the north country will be at the controls of the plane, and Mounties will accompany them.

The Raymond High School Basketball team added another scalp to their string when they took the Lethbridge Collegiate into camp to the tune of 52-19 on the Lethbridge floor last Friday night. These boys have not been defeated in the High School league yet this season.

The Raymond Dodgers beat the Magrath puck chasers last Thursday night by a 2-1 score to continue their winning streak. Scoville shot both goals, and was solidly backed up by his team mates.

The search for the British submarine M-2 continues without success. Any hope for the lives of the men was given up sometime ago. Heavy seas and fog has made the rescue work very difficult.

The 'Idlers' won from Magrath last Friday night in the Intermediate league by three points after two five minute overtime periods. There was plenty of excitement with the score still tied when the first overtime period ended.

At the Beet Growers meeting Stirling last week the growers there were assured according to reports that the present factory was enlarged and the other factories would be built as fast as the industry and demand for the product warranted it.

Brandon, Man. had a \$125,000 fire in its business section on Wednesday morning. The Recreation Bowling alley and Billiard Parlor were completely destroyed, and nearby retail stores suffered heavy water and smoke damage.

Santiago, Cuba was rocked by a severe earthquake early Wednesday and a death list of 2,000 was left in its wake. No estimate of property damage could be made, and the scene was terrible, many being killed while in the act of leaving their houses.

The thermometer over the week end hung down around the 15 below zero mark, and Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights was down below 30 degrees every night. Tuesday was warm, but Wednesday was cold again, and people are anxiously waiting and watching for a Chinook.

News Notes

State Board members of the M. I. A. were in Magrath Tuesday night.

McVine Godfrey of Magrath, was a Raymond visitor on Tuesday.

Joe Elder has a couple of signs up now advertising his business.

WANTED — Wheat straw near town. Phone 149, Raymond School of Agriculture.

Mayor W. G. Meeks was a Lethbridge visitor on Monday of this week.

A real snappy 3 act Comedy at the 2nd Ward Hall on Wed. Feb. 10. Mrs. Plimpton's Husband.

Martin Blair was taken to the Galt Hospital on Monday afternoon suffering from a complication of ailments.

There have been several cases of light flu the past couple of weeks. The cold weather however should clear up the atmosphere.

See a full 3 act Comedy in a new building. "Mrs. Plimpton's Husband." Only 40c. to see it all. 25c. for Students.

Ray Knight went to Calgary on Thursday in connection with the coning Stampede there. He travelled on the Greyhound.

R.W. Greenway was again elected President of the Lethbridge Board of Trade at the Annual Meeting held on Friday night last.

The Lecture on Elephant Fertilizer will be held here on Feb. 18. h at the Capitol Theatre. Keep the date in mind.

Mr. DeRoover, who at one time lived here and later moved to Belgium, is dead. No doubt he will be remembered by many Raymond people.

A sensational comedy you cannot afford to miss, "Mrs. Plimpton's Husband", Wed. Feb. 10th at the 2nd Ward Hall. Adults 40c. Students 25c. No reserves.

The mercury was reported at 26 below over the week-end here, B.I. cheer. It was 52 below in Havre, Montana and 46 below in Edmonton. There are many places colder than this.

The attendance at meetings on Sunday was small owing to the severe weather. It was hard to keep really warm even with good fires in the Church Houses.

Dehlin Bennett received a nasty kick just above the knee from a horse last week. Luckily no bones were broken, but Dehlin has had a stiff and very sore leg.

AN S. O. S. CALL

This advt. appeared in a southern states paper: FOUND—Lady's handbag, left in my car while it was parked. Owner can have same by identifying property. If she makes satisfactory explanation to my wife, I will pay for advt. and give reward.

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CANADA BUILDING SCENIC HIGHWAY

Construction of the great scenic highway through the Canadian Rockies Mountains between Jasper, Alberta and the Great Divide, is progressing rapidly and more than 30 miles of the new road are now passable. About 2,000 men are engaged in this titanic undertaking which is one of the most important relief projects of the Dominion Government. The road proceeds from Jasper, which hitherto had been accessible only via Canadian National Railways, over the Yellowhead Pass to Mount Robson, the highest peak in the Canadian Rockies, thence westward to the Canoe River and up the Canoe River Valley to the big bend on the upper reaches of the Columbia River. From there it will proceed to a junction with the Banff-Windermere highway. In general, the routing of this highway will carry the motorist for some

News Notes

The Green and Gold Ball on Saturday night was a very successful affair in every particular. The attendance was not as large as was anticipated, but considering the very cold weather the sponsors were not very badly disappointed when the crowd was limited to Raymond people.

Radio reports Monday stated that Albert Johnson, the demented trapper who has repeatedly withstood efforts of the R.C.M.P. to capture him, killed a Constable on Saturday when he was found in a hastily constructed fort beyond Akklavik. Fears were held for his life, but he still appears very much alive and full of fight.

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